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CITY SAVINGS

BANK TAKES

Purpose in Securing Property of Fox Es-

tate to Frect Modern Banking

The City Savings bank has secured an option on the property 1122 to 1126 Main street, belonging to the Charles

Fox estate, with the purpose of erect-

The property has a frontage of 48

The property has a frontage or 48 feet on Main street and a depth of 178 feet, extending to Middle street. It is said to be held at \$100,000. The plot holds the two story frame building occupied by Blumberg's shoe store, Main street, the printing establishment of O. Howard Hall and Lyford's Laundry. Middle street.

The trustees of the estate who give the option are Charles W. Fox. Fair-

FEVER IN MAINE

(Special from United Press.)

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Portland, Me., April 19.—With new cases developing almost hourly and 35 of its 150 inmates already stricken an epidemic of scarlet fever which is beginning to assume grave proportions is sweeping the Maine State School for Power at Care Elizabeth. Ten of the

Boys at Cape Elizabeth. Ten of the officers of the school are victims of the disease. The institution is under close

quarantine and every means being taken for preventing a spread of the disease. No deaths have yet taken

place although several of the patients are in serious condition.

(Special from United Press.)

New York, April 19.—Three persons were injured and a hundred or more badly shaken up on the outskirts of Jersey City this morning when a Newark local train on the Jersey Central crashed into the rear of a local from Plainfield. The wreck was due in part to a heavy fog which enshrouded the meadows and in part to a misunderstanding of orders. As a direct result of the wreck hundreds of commuters were delayed in getting to work. The tracks were blocked for some time.

IN HEAVY FOG

TRAINS CRASH

ing some day a modern banking build-

Building.

LAND OPTION

OUTFITTERS TO MEN WOMEN & CHILDREN BRIDGEPORT, CONN.

#### FAIRFIELD

-Box Wood Cottage-Mrs. Wright on Blackbirds — Personal Mention.

In mining operations in northern Mexico.

It is said in town that the price of lice has been jumped 75 cents a hundred, notwithstanding that last winder one of our ice dealers bought a large quantity in Winsted, supposed to be enough to last until the next frost falls. Some of our citizens who use large quantities propose to buy artificatelle. Some of our citizens who use large quantities propose to buy artificatelle. They say it can be had much cheaper than river or pond ice, and is cleaner.

The Misses Lydia and Eunice Perry.

The story having been circulated that

The trustees of the estate who give the option are Charles W. Fox, Fair-field, and James W. Lyon.

Treasurer Plumb said, yesterday, in relation to the matter, than an option has been secured, and that the purpose is some day to erect a banking building. The leases of the tenants, he said, have a few years to run. The former plan of taking the bank to the ground floor of its present quarters in the United Banking building, Main and Bank streets, will probably be abandoned.

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ed to be driving a new automobile, a gift from his father. One of the notable guests at the One of the notable guests at the Ellis-Child wedding was Mrs. Mabel Osgood Wright, who has a beautiful country seat at Fockcrest, on Unquowa road. Those who have read her "Friendship of Nature" know what a delightful book it is. Besides the letter press it is beautifully illustrated with photographs of familiar Fairfield with photographs with photographs with photogr scenery, printed in sepia. Mrs. Wright has recently published an educational leaflet on the red winged blackbird, which pretty feathered songster can be seen at this time of the year in all of our meadows and fields. Mrs. Wright admits that this bird eats Wright admits that this bird eats grain, and is a menace to the farmer in certain regions. We know it has the habit of eating sweet corn when it is in the milky stage, and it will strip the husks off a whole garden full. But it must in justice to the bird be admitted that it eats many cutworms, grasshoppers, plant lice, and various larvae. When it cannot get better food to its liking it will eat and various larvae. When it cannot get better food to its liking it will eat the domestic garden berries, but the young birds are fed upon an insect diet, for their little stomachs need something stronger than fruits and vegetables. Mrs. Wright says March and April would seem lonely without the red wing. They come in their due season, the same as weddings and elopements.

Ask for O'Rourke's union tobacco. Made Spurious Coins-Bound Over Under \$2,000

(Special from United Press.)

New Haven, April 19.—Antonio Klinoski who it is alleged has confessed to making spurious coins in the molding room of Sargent's factory here was arraigned before United States Commissioner Wright Saturday and waived examination. He was bound over for the Linied at the past term of the United trial at the next term of the United States District Court under a bond of on good terms with respect to the court of the United States District Court under a bond of on good terms with respect to the court of the United States District Court under a bond of the court of the United States District Court under a bond of the court of the United States District Court under a bond of the Court under a bond of

#### CHURCH SOCIETIES CELEBRATE IN REFORMED CHURCH

The Beach-Return of the Bridal Party Young Men's Organization Has Seen 24 Years and Young Ladies' 29 Years of

The season at the beach is opening coner than usual. Mr. Webber of New York, with his mother and wife, arrived at the Reef Villa on Saturday. There have been a number of people in town looking for rents on the beach. The plumbing business must be prosperous in this village. E. J. Flannagan has just had a large safe installed in his store in the Lyceum building. Owing to the recent fire in the Cable Company's plant in Bridgeport, John Fitzgerald and Thomas Watson, employes, are taking a vacation until the works are ready to start up again.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldis Ellis, who went to Atlantic City for a brief honeymoon, were expected back in town today to visit a little while with Rev. Dr. Child and his family before starting upon an extended wedding tour for the Parific coast. It is intimated that enroute they will pay a visit to Arthur Child, who is believed to be interested in mining operations in northern Mextoo.

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scalp her if the mood or fancy so dic-The story having been circulated that Prof. Hargrove intends to purchase or rent Box Wood cottage as an adjunct to his school, is denied. Prof. Hargrove says he never had the least intention of doing anything of the kind. Besides the cottage is occupied by the family of the late Dr. Perry.

The baseball teams of the Hargrove school was out practicing all Saturday afternoon. It is getting into good shape and will soon be ready to give and accept challenges to play.

Measles have appeared in the family of Mrs. Everett Matson, but that is no sign of an epidemic.

Jesse Beers has been attending the Lenten recitals in Bridgeport. He is the organist for the Greenfield Hill church.

It is said that some 40 people attenda.

The Father of All Novels. A great branch of literature, un-Mrs. Whiting of Greenfield Hill, who doubtedly the most widely popular and Mrs. Whiting of Greenfield Hill, who is teaching a choral class, hopes to give a concert in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lockwood who have been visiting in town, have returned to their home at Springfield,

Mass. not of legend, but of their own day Young Talmadge Wakeman is report- and manners. It was the pioneer novel, was called "Pamela," the work of Samuel Richardson, a London print-

tleman during the first stage of his

"Certainly, sir," said the waiter po-"Table d'hote or a la carte litely.

"Er-well," said the young Benedict, who was anxious to impress his wife with his lavish expenditure, "bring us some of both, please!"

Metallic Sympathy. On the death of the Duke of Wellington the bells of Trim, near Dangan

Inconsistent. "These church people are so inconsistent."

"Say on, Macduff."

"They believe that cleanliness should be next to godliness, yet here they are kicking because I want to build a soap factory next door."-Louisville Courier-Journal

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cow sold by its mistress who had

ed to carry water jugs broke one and fell a-crying, which proved sorrow,

though it wouldn't mend the jug. Rats,

discovering their young drowned, have

been moved to tears of grief. A giraffe

which a huntsman's rifle had injured

began to cry when approached. Sea

lions often weep over the loss of their

young. Gordon Cumming observed

tears trickling down the face of a

dying elephant. And even an orang

outang when deprived of its mango

was so vexed that it took to weeping.

There is little doubt, therefore, that

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Travelers through the Syrian desert EMPEROR WILLIAM have seen horses weep from thirst, a mule has been seen to cry from the SWALLOWS FISHBONE pains of an injured foot, and camels, it is said, shed tears in streams. A

(Special from United Press.) Vienna, April 19.—A stock exchange telegram from Corfu to-day says that Emperor William who is having an outing there, swallowed a fishbone to the dispatch the Emperor was dining in his suite when he suddenly uttered a cry of pain and clutched at his throat. He was assisted from the table by those who hastily devined the table by those who hastly devined the cause of his distress. For a while it was feared that the Emperor would strangle. The Emperor was completely unnerved by the incident and the dinner was abandoned.

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE** 

NAMES COMMITTEES

The executive committee of the Young People's Christian Endeavor So-ciety of the First Baptist church, met Saturday evening with President Ar-thur E. Warner, and appointed committees as follows: Lookout, Ralph Whipple, chairman, Arthur Keith, Theodore T. Phillips,

animals do cry from grief or weep from pain or annoyance. - Harper's Weekly. Miss Dora Angevine; music, Miss Frances Carney, chairman, Miss Anna Anderson, George Bradstreet, Miss Ethel Buchanan, Miss Irene Carney, Everett Jersey; Missionary, Miss Susie Mullech, Miss Ada Bennett, Mrs. Sarnah Brown, Miss Mary Densmore, Miss Mabel Jenks, Miss Axelina Zieldfelt; prayer meeting; Harry Schoenberger, chairman; Walter Banker, Miss Ada Ison, Miss Minnie Myers, Miss Alda Ison, Miss Minnie Myers, Miss Lillie Willets; social, Miss Alcy Jenks, chairman; Walter Francis Ellsworth Hawkins, Miss Lillie Jenks, Mrs. A.E. Warner, Miss Ruby Weidinghoff.

sulted a few days later. A local character named Farrar was clerk and general utility man at the Cumberland House in Bridgton village at that time and was accustomed to make note on the hotel register from day to day of local events—the weather, etc. In his chronicle of this sad event he wished to indicate that Deacon Libby's death was unnecessary. The following may be seen today on one of the old registers at the Cumberland House:

"Deacon Elden Libby died today. He cut his foot badly, did not have the wound attended to and went to meet his God uncalled for."

He Paid the Charges. A guest who had just registered at

a hotel was approached by a boy with a telegram. It had \$1 charges on it. "What!" said the guest before opening it. "A dollar charges! I won't pay it. Anybody who cannot pay for his message when wiring me is certainly a cheap one. Wait a minute. I'll just let you report this uncollected, and the sender may pay the charges."

At that he tore the envelope open As he read a smile settled on his face. and, pulling a dollar from his pocket. he handed it to the boy. "It's all right," he said.

Then he threw the message on the

counter. "Read it!" he said to the clerk. The message read: Papa's little girl sends him fifty bushels of love and wishes he was home to kiss her good night. NELLIE. -Denver Post.

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